THE WHEELING PARTY WILL GO

To the Coast Shortly After that Date and Present the Gunboat with the Silver, Glass and China Service Recently Pur chased-Committee Members who are Going Should Notify Captain Dovener

Congressman B. B. Dovener last night received the following letter from A. S. Croninshield, chief of the bureau of navigation, navy department, Washington Hon, B. B. Dovener,

SIR:-Referring to your verbal request of some days ago, I have the honor to In-form you that orders have been issued for the U. S. S. Wheeling to be placed in commission at the Navy Yard, Marc Is-land, Cal., on August 19th, 1857.

Respectfully,
A. S. CRONINSHIELD,
Chief of Bureau of Navigation.
The date fixed for placing the gunboat in commission, August 10, is some days earlier than Captain Dovener expected it would be, and it will be necessary for It would be, and it will be necessary for those who intend to accompany the gifts to be made by the city of Wheeling to its namesake of the navy, to make their ar-rangementa without delay. The notice is so sudden and brief that Captain is so sudden and brief that Captain Dovener has not time to see all the council committee and others who will make up the party, and requests the Intelligencer to notify all who are entitled to transportation to San Francisco to notify him immediately, addressing him as usual at the House of Representatives. Washington, D. C., where he will receive his mail the first of the coming week. Captain Dovener left for Washington last night to confer with the secretary of the navy and arrange for a date for the presentation ceremony. Before he can complete the arrangements for the ceremony and the date of departure from Wheeling, he must know from all for

mony and the date of departure from Wheeling, he must know from all for whom arrangements have been made whether they are going or not. He desires to know the number going, and a letter addressed to him at the above address early in the week will convey him this absolutely necessary information. At present it is not known how many of those for whom arrangements have been made can go, and the importance of each one immediately notifying the captain of his intentions cannot be too strongly emphasized. The newspapers will announce the date of the presentation ceremony, which will be within a few days after the vessel goes into commission, and the announcement will be made sometime during next week.

ANOTHER OUTBREAK EXPECTED Rev. Mr. Elliott Claims to Have Author-

break in the Macedonia Baptist church The pulpit is being filled by Rev. Mr. Johnson, but the rival pastor, Rev. G. W. Elliott, who is in Pittsburgh, has written to several of his followers, nocifying them that he attended the conference of the Allegheny Baptist Asso ciation, and that the Macedonia church being in the Association, his rights to its charge were granted, and that he would supply the pulpit with substitutes

for awhile.

Mr. Elliott will not take charge, but the ministers invited by him, through the association, will officiate until action more permanent is taken. Those the congregation enlisted under Mr. lott's banner, declare that this thing Elliott's banner, declare that this thins of having the younger preacher usurphis place must soon stop. They are at a loss how to gain possession of the church, owing to the Johnson faction having the keys, and rather than listen to what they consider a usurper, or trespasser, they remain away from the church every Sunday.

As representatives of both sides are to appear before the grand jury, the affair will remain unsettled until then, but it is more than likely that Mr. Elliott's supporters will make a move soon to gain possession upon the strength of the letters received from him.

"MERCHANTS' DAY."

Wholesalers are Enthusiastic Over the Outing Scheme.

Thursday's meeting of wholesalers of latter part of August, has been received it is likely that the subscriptions committee will have tittle or no trouble in getting the \$3.000 that is needed to bring five hundred out-of-town customers to Wheeling and for their enterthioment while here. Those interested in the project will meet next Wednesday evening the hundred of commerce and hear

La Relle Busy.

At the La Belle all the mills with the exception of the nail factory are running full, and the latter department is off only because there is a shortage of off only because there is a shortage of plate, other orders keeping the skelp mill busy to supply them. The new the mill will be commenced as soon as the site is ready for building, the moving of the bridge across Caldwell's Run causing the delay.

The Symphony Club, of Zion Lutheran church, at its regular bi-monthly meeting Monday evening, will complete arrangements for the annual outing, which is to be held Tuesday at Sel-bert's Garden. There will be a number of amusements for the event, and prizes are offered in the bowling cantest. The outing promises to be a success in ev-ery respect.

Relief Department. Superintendent S. B. Barr, of the Baltimore & Chlo's relief department, has just published his statement of receipts just published his statemed of receipts and dishursements for February. 1897. The receipts aggregated 255,631,80 and the dishursements were \$22,750.25. There were skitten secidental deaths, 522 accidental injuries, 212 cases of surgical expense, 759 cases of natural sickness, and twenty-four natural deaths.

Boy Loses Two Fingers.

aged nine years, tost the index and sec end fingers of his right hand, by their coming in contact with a machine at McConnel's cooper shop, in the Eighth ward. The little fellow stood his suf-ferings bravely. He was maken to his home on South Wood street.

The Commissioner at Work. State Commissioner of Labor Barton has about completed his factory inspec tion of the Pan Handle, god with next branch out into the interior of the state, not until the coal sixths is satisfied, nowever, as he considers Wheeling the best point to gain information about the situation.

A CITY OF THE DEAD.

Doubt as to the Future of Walnut Grove Cemetery at Martin's Ferry-Elizabeth Zane Buried There.

Martin's Ferry, Just what disposition will be made of it is not known. It thing of the past, or it will be enclosed

and allowed to remain much as it is. raised and there is a difference of opinnot claimed by the Martin heirs it is ossible that a claim will be made by Park T the Ellett heirs. The claim is made by ne persons that the ground rightfulthe other hand, some make the claim that the Ellett heirs would become the rightful owners should the old ceme-tery be entirely abandoned. Several hold that the original burying grounds, which consisted of only that part inside propriated without any right whatever and used as a public cemetery, by the city, and that one family would make

and used as a public cemetery, by the effy, and that one family would make a burial here and another there and then hay claim to a lot. Burials were made here for many years until the place was so crowded that old graves were frequently discovered when new ones were dug.

As an example, one case might be given. Two beautiful young girls died very suddenly of dipitheria, and their graves were not marked. The family moved from Martin's Ferry and in latery years the matter of grave stones was brought up and upon inquiry it was learned that two other bodies had been intered over these. This condition was largely due to the lack of records. Investigation last night revealed the fact that the city of Martin's Ferry holds a deed for all the ground occupied by the old Walnut Grove cemetery, at least for most of it. The deed in-

The Walnut Grove cemetery was no used after the Riverview cemetery was purchased by the city and the old cem-etery was badly wrecked by the cy-clone in 1887, which destroyed nearly ut Grove which was noted for it

many persons have been unable to remove the remains of their friends. Several lots in the cemetery had been puirchased from Ebenezer Martin, one of which by William Alexander.

The present condition of this old burying ground is not creditable to the city of Martin's Ferry or these who have friends buried here and everything should be removed from the old grave yard or the cemetry trustees should immediately have the ground surveyed and have a fence put up on the lines of the ground and enclose it as should be done.

Section 2521, Revised Statutes, say "the trustees shall take possession and charge and have the entire management, control and regulation of all public grave-yards, burial grounds and cemeteries, located in or belonging to the corporation, subject to its ordinances and they shall direct whenever thay may deem it necessary, the taying out of such grounds and cemeteries in case of the corporation of the corporation is not belonging to the corporation, subject to its ordinances and they shall direct whenever thay may deem it necessary, the taying out of such grounds and cemeteries income and they shall derect whenever that an account of the corporation, subject to its ordinances and they shall derect whenever that have the corporation, subject to its ordinances and they shall derect whenever that have the shall derect whenever that have the shall derect whenever that have the shall derect whenever that the shall be sha

Officer McCausland yesterday arrested Hugh Harrison and Henry Shalleross for getting into a scrimmage near the St Charles Hotel. They gave bond for their appearance in court this morning. Harrison had used some insulting words to rison had used some insulting words to Mr. Robrecht, the hotel proprietor, who was sitting outside the hotel, and Shall-cross came to the latter's defense. In the scuffic that ensued Shallcross downed Harrison and got the best of bim. Some time afterward, Shallcross was sitting in a chair, and before he knew what hap-pened Harrison struck him several heavy blows in the face. The partici-pants are past middle age.

The Mountain Chantauqua This famous Chautauqua, at Mountai Lake Park, Maryland, opens its sessio. August 4 and closes August 24. It is th Lake Park, Maryland, opens its session August 4 and closes August 25. It is the most superb and sensible summer resert in America. Its height, 2360 feet above sea level, means a delightful climate and unsurpassed mountain views. Five well appointed hotels and 250 cottages open their doors to tourists at from \$5 to \$12 per week. Twenty departments of important school work are in the hands of specialists. The best lecturers, singers and cutertainers in the country appear three times daily. The programms is unequalled. Here is a chance to mix a little intellectual upilit with your vacation.

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west.

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Matters of Miner records in and About the City. Base ball to-day—Wheeling vs Dayton.

The Adonis club of the South Side, will dance at Mozart Park Monday night. Okabe "Japa"—Wheeling Park this af-ternoon and to-night. Last perform-

will be services as usual at the Presbyterian church Sunday, g and evening.

wn persons scattered poison on broadway, Island. Two valua-and two cats have died. yke has been me a popular name at and the Klondyke club of the Side, will give a hop at Mozart tenday evening, August 17.

The regular Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon meetings at the Y. M. C. A., will be conducted as usual. There will be good speakers at both meetings. annuelm, Glessy and Faris have n up place for the new bowling al-at Petr's, out Caldwell's run, and for their crection will close Tues-

Mazgie, the young daughter of J. T. Armbruster, the North End baker, had the mistortune of having a natl run in ner foot yesterday morning. Her injury was very painful.

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s at the North street church,

s at 10:20 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by

r, Rev C. B. Graham. The sub
storenom. "The Futal Sin of

ln the evening, "The Word of

ore's Row" legal lights are in-consumed nearly all yesterday Greer's court. Judgment was until Wednesday. The court

fee water dispensed from the e filter by the firm of George Hib-& Son, yesterdry, attracted great mage. It will be on deck for about

services at First Baptist church row morning and evening will be cted by F. O. Bond; subject of ng discourse, "The lost picture and to find it." In the evening, "The flome" will be the topic. one" will be the topic.

inver's Home Athletic Club last
itertained its lady friends at the
quarters. In North Henwood.

vas a number of invited guests
and a gossily proportion of the
mbership, and a very enjoyable
was spent. Dancing to the
of Prof. Rolf was the principal
in Refreshments were served at

East and West Side Belt lines of cars; South Ferry, Staten Island Hamilton Avenue and Thirty-Street (Brooklyn) Ferry. for tickets to New York via Baltimore & Ohjo, and save inconvenience D. B. MARTIN, J. M. SCHRYVER, Mgr. Pass. Traffic. Gen'l Pass. Ag't

THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY harleston, H. K. REDFORD, 6:30 a. m arkersburg.ARGAND, 11 a. m. atamoras, LEXINGTON, 11 a. m.

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WARREN-River 4 of a foot. Clear

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at for toilet, bath, and nursery.

A Public Statement Compiled by Weather Bureau.

THE COAST AND THE INTERIOR

full is Notorious Throughout the World - On an Average there are but 66 Clear Days in the Year-In the Winter in the Far North there are Only Four Hours of Daylight-Greatest Cold 59 Degrees Below Zero-Summer Tem-

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 30 .- Under the direction of secretary of agriculture Wilson, chief Moore, of the weather bureau, has made public a statement in In this statement Mr. Moore says

spects and the differences are intensified tries by exceptional physical conditions mainland from the Pacific ocean from of the mainland for possibly twenty miles back from the sea, following the northwestward to the western extremdivision which may be termed temperate Alaska. The temperature rarely falls to zero; winter does not set in until December 1 and by the last of May the snow has disappeared except on the mountains.

eing on an average but sixty-six clea

The climate of the interior, including in that designation practically all of the country except a narrow fringe of coast to as temperate Alaska, is one of extreme rigor in winter with a brief but relatively hot summer especially when the sky is free from cloud.

In the Klondyke region indiwinter, the sun rises from 9:30 to 10 a. m., and sets from 2 to 3 p. m., the total length of daylight being about four hours. Remembering that the sun rises but a few degrees above the horizon and that it is wholly obscured on a great many days, the character of the winter months may easily be imagined.

We are indebted to the United States coast and geodetic survey for a series of six months' observations on the Yukon, not far from the site of the present gold discoveries. The observations were made with standard instruments, and are wholly reliable. The mean temperatures of the months October, 1839, to April, 1890, both Inclusive, are as follows: October, thirty-three degrees; November, eight degrees; December, eleven degrees below zero; February, fifteen below zero; Harch, six above; April, twenty above. The dally mean temperature fell and remained below the freezing point (thirty-two degrees). from November 4, 1889, to April 21, 1890, thus giving one hundred and sixty-eight days as the length of the closing season of 1889-50, assuming that outdoor operations are controlled by temperature tions are controlled by temperature

The lowest temperature registered

during the winter were:
Thirty-two degrees below zero in November; forty-seven below in December, fifty-nine below in January; fifty-

ceapes with his life. Snow storms of great severity may occur in any month from September to May, inclusive.

The changes of temperatures from winter to summer are rapid owing to the great increase in the length of the day. In May the sun rises at about 2a, m., and sets about 9 p. m. In June, it rises at about 1a, m., and sets at about 2 n. m., and sets at about 4 n., and sets at about 5 n. m., and sets at about 6 n., and sets at about half-past ten, giving about twenty hours of daylight and diffuse twilight the remainder of the time.

The mean summer temperature in the The mean summer temperature in the interior doubiless ranges between sixty and seventy degrees, according to ele-vation, being highest in the middle and lower Yukon valleys.

Paget Sound Flax.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 30.—Sec-retary Wilson has received a report from a firm at Lisburn, Ireland, on ome retting and scutching experiments conducted by them in Ireland, with a conducted by them in Ireland, with a ton of finx straw grown in the Puget Sound region of Washington under the direction of the agricultural depart-ment in its experiments in 1895. These cultural experiments developed the fact that for fax culture the Puget Souhd region is the equal in climate of some of the best flax producing regions of Europe. Attention is called to the low rate of seeding, one and one-nairs to two bushels per acre, and to the fact that fourteen bushels of seed per acre was produced. It is asserted that the ex-periment proves that farmers of this country can grow seed and fiber in the same plant.

Desires Annexation.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 30.-Ellis Mills, the retiring consul general at lionolulu, arrived from the Islands or the steamer Alameda. Mr. Mills was succeeded by William Hayward end with his wife, he is now on his way back to his home in Virginia. Speaking of political affairs in the islands, Mr. Mills said: "Annexation is now regarded universally by the people of Hawaii as a certainty. The enthusiasm over the annexation movement is more the interest new if such a thing be possible, than it has ever been before, almost everybody has an abiding faith in the happy result that they all wish for and anticipate, it is confidently expected that the whole matter will be settled when Congress meets this fall. the stannage Alamoda, Mr. Mills was

Mystery Cleared Up. SAN FRANCISCO, July 20,—The mys

tery that for nearly a year has clouded the fate of Charles Wells and George I

HON. N. B. SCOTT

Writes of His Impression of Naples and Its Surroundings. A letter received at the Intelligencer

ples, Italy, July 16, says:

2.000 feet high. One rock was thrown out which was 180 feet in circumference. There were many thousand people destroyed since its first eruption."

Just before we came into the bay we passed the island of "Ischia." You no doubt remember that this is the island that in 1884 was disturbed by an earthquake and a portion of it slid off into the sea and six or eight hundred people were drowned.

I am delighted to see by the New York Herald's Paris edition that the senate has passed the tariff bill, and hope when I next read of the bill it may have passed both houses and become a law. The duties in this country on cigars, cigarettes and tobacco is simply prohibitory. One gentleman had sixteen cigars, and they charged him what would be equivalent in our money to \$1.25. So you see smoking in Italy is a luxury.

FALL CAMPAIGNS.

Republican National Committee Main taining Headquarters at Washington. Republican National committee i choose United States senators. Dick, the secretary of the Repul

will be done before next winter, beyond planning out the lines of literary work. Chairman Babecek says advices from Ohio are very gratifying and he expresses himself as having no doubt that the Republicans will elect a majority of the legislature and return Mr. Hanna to the senate.

The free silver men are not behind the Republicans in their industry. The American Bimetallic Union has head-quarters here, with Measra George E. Bowen and H. F. Barting in charge. Literature bearing on the free silver question is being distributed. Much of it goes to Iowa and Ohio.

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